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| No. 6191. | 第壹千九百四十六號 | 光緒廿八年八月廿四日 | HONGKONG, FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 20TH, 1878. | 禮拜五 | 光緒廿八年八月廿四日 | 香港 | [PRICE 2½ PER MONTH.] |
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INTIMATION

THEATRE ROYAL,
CITY HALL, HONGKONG.

MORROW (SATURDAY) EVENING,
September 21st, 1878.

ROYAL ENGLISH OPERA AND
BOUFFE COMPANY
will produce
OFFENBACH'S COMIC OPERA
"PRINCESS OF TREBIZONDE,"
In Three Acts.

CAST OF CHARACTERS:
NOBLES.
MRS. RAPHAEL Miss ELCTA MAY.
CASIMIRE (his) Mr. F. HAEGEMAN.
Dr. (brother) Mr. G. HODSON.
MADAM (sister) Mr. G. HODSON.

(a travellist :
men
LINO. Mr. H. VERNON.
A. Mr. J. ROLLINGS.
A. Miss A. DIARGAR.
A. Miss A. ELSCOMBE.
(the Brazilian) Miss CLARA STANLEY.
Master JOHNNIE.
SHOWMEN, HUNTSMEN, &c.
NEW SCENERY AND EFFECTS,
by SAMUEL BAPTISTA.
Princess of Trobriquo "is considered to
the finest satire on the present age.
The Evening Miss B. DIARGAR will
perform, for the first time in Hongkong, a
FLUTE SOLO.
Operas are produced under the Sole
direction of Mr. H. VERNON.
Seats to be had and Seats secured at Messrs.

PRICES OF ADMISSION :
 Circle or Orchestra } TWO DOLLARS.
 ONE DOLLAR.
 Unaccompanied by Gentlemen cannot
 sit.
 Bangkok, 20th September. 1878. [1878]
 HUTCHINGS
 begs to announce to the Community of
 this City that he will be the agent for
 E. E. M. M. T. O. S. & Co.
 of October, and trusts that they may grant
 their support.
 — WELINGTON STREET, opposite the
 Hospital.
 Bangkok, 18th September. 1878. [1878]
 SECOND COLONIAL SEA AND
 FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY
 OF BATAVIA.

are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on
NE RISKS to all parts of the World.
SINSEEN & Co.,
Agents,
Hongkong, 2nd September, 1873. [479

NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.
STEAMSHIP "TIGRE."
COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.

NOTICE
CONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamships
"COPERNICO" and "EUPHRATE,"
London, in connection with the above
ships, are hereby informed that their Goods
being landed and stored at their risk at the
Company's Godowns, whence delivery may be
made immediately after landing.

Consular Cargo will be forwarded on unless
otherwise notified by the Consignees on or before
TUESDAY, the 18th instant, at 11 A.M. RE-

of Lading will be countersigned by the
signed.
The remaining unclosed after MON-
day 13rd instant, at Noon, will be subject
to and landing charges.
Fire Insurance has been effected by
H. DU POUVEY, Agent.
Kobe, 18th September, 1878.
SIGNATURES OF OPTIONAL CARGO,
OF S. S. CO. S. S. "TEAM,"
FROM LIVERPOOL.
PUSHING Orders must be obtained from
the Undersigned not later than the 53rd
of September for shipment on the "DORIE"
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Kobe, 17th September, 1878. [1567]
OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.
SIGNATURES per Company's Steamer
"DORIE."
Further notified that the Cargo is being dis-
charged into Craft, and landed at the Godowns of

nesses' risk. The Cargo will be ready for
by from Craft or Godown on and after the
September 1878.
is undischarged after the 23rd September,
will be subject to Rent.
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.
Singapore, 17th September, 1878. [1562
**DENTAL and ORIENTAL STEAM-
SHIP COMPANY.**
NOTICE.
SIGNIFIERS of Cargo, per Steamship
"GAELIC,"
San Francisco, do, hereby requested
in their Bills of Lading for Consign-
ment, and to take immediate delivery of
Goods.
any impeding discharge of the Steamer will
be stored at Consignees' risk and ex-
pense.
G. B. EMORY,
Agent.
Singapore, 17th September, 1878. [1w1569

AGENTS OF THE
INSURANCE CO. OF LONDON,
OF THE VESSEL'S ARRIVAL AND REQUESTED
FOR THE BILL OF LADING TO THE UNDER-
SIGNED, FOR COUNTERSIGNATURE AND TO TAKE IM-
MEDIATE DELIVERY OF THEIR GOODS.
IMPEDING THE DISCHARGE OF THE VESSEL WILL
BE PROSECUTED AND STORED AT CONSIGNEE'S RISK AND
LOSS.
THE FIRE INSURANCE HAS BEEN EFFECTED.
RUSSELL & CO.,
10, MARK LANE, LONDON, E.C. 3.
16th September, 1878. [1w1552]
THE SHIP "ADA MELMORE,"
FROM LONDON.
THE ABOVE-NAMED VESSEL HAVING ARRIVED,
THE AGENTS OF THE INSURANCE CO. OF LONDON,
OF THE VESSEL'S ARRIVAL AND REQUESTED
FOR THE BILL OF LADING TO THE UNDER-
SIGNED, FOR COUNTERSIGNATURE AND TO TAKE IM-
MEDIATE DELIVERY OF THEIR GOODS.
IMPEDING THE DISCHARGE OF THE VESSEL
WILL BE PROSECUTED AND STORED AT CONSIGNEE'S RISK AND
LOSS.
THE FIRE INSURANCE HAS BEEN EFFECTED.
RUSSELL & CO.,
10, MARK LANE, LONDON, E.C. 3.
16th September, 1878. [1w1552]
THE SHIP "ADA MELMORE,"
FROM LONDON.

MEYER & Co.,
Agents.
Kongkang 14th September 1878. [w]54

FOR SALE.

SAYLE AND CO.
having received their
FIRST DELIVERY OF GOODS
for the
AUTUMN SEASON.
Solely an inspection of the following—
RICH BLACK GROSSEIN SILKS
from the Best Makers.

COLOURED GROSSEIN and FANCY SILKS.
PLAIN and FANCY JAPANESE SILKS.

TRIMMING SILKS and SATINS.
A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF
FANCY DRESS MATERIALS,
including the
"REAL SNOWFLAKE,"
WOOL FOLINS,
WOOL BERGES,
FRENCH MERINOS,
DIAGONAL REPS.

BLACK and COLOURED SILK VELVETS and VELVETEENS.

VARIOUS WASHING FABRICS
suitable for Autumn Wear.

SHAWLS, MANTLES, JACKETS, SKIRTS,
UNDERCLOTHING, BABY LINEN.

SPECIAL "SWAN BILL" and FRENCH CORSETS.

CHILDREN'S COSTUMES, PELISSES, and FROCKS.

INFANTS' CASHMERE HOODS, BONNETS, and HATS.

NEW RIBBONS, SASHES, and SASH RIBBONS.

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, LACES, and LACE GOODS.

The NEW HACKLE and other FEATHER TRIMMINGS.

A LARGE and VARIED STOCK OF NEW HOSIERY.

KID GLOVES will be OPENED SHORTLY.

FELT, STRAW, and PLUSH HATS, and BONNETS.

PARIS TRIMMED HATS and BONNETS.

SPECIAL AGENTS for "THE LITTLE WANDER" SEWING MACHINE.
Now Sold at a GREAT REDUCTION on former Price.

DRESSMAKING!
Great Care is used in this Department, which increases in popularity with each season.

MILLINERY by ACCOMPLISHED HANDS.

SAYLE AND CO., VICTORIA EXCHANGE, QUEEN'S ROAD and STANLEY STREET, HONGKONG, AND AT SHANGHAI.

FOR SALE.

CHAS. HEIDRICK'S CHAMPAGNE.
\$18.....per case of 12 dozen quarts.
\$18.....per case of 1 dozen quarts.

CHATEAU LOUVILLE FINEST 1869 "VIN DES FLEURES"
\$18.....per case of 12 dozen quarts.
\$18.....per case of 1 dozen quarts.

CHATEAU BELAIR.
\$7.....per case of 12 dozen quarts.
\$7.....per case of 1 dozen quarts.

CHATEAU BELAIR.
\$6.....per case of 12 dozen quarts.
\$6.....per case of 1 dozen quarts.

SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, 1st May, 1878. [12]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed by Messrs. WILKES and LIVERMORE, Limited, Gunpowder Manufacturers, of Dartford and Barking, their SOLE AGENTS in Hongkong and China.

MEYER & Co.
Hongkong, 8th February, 1878. [1888]

FOR SALE.

COKE and TAR, in Quantities to suit Purchasers, at ONAP RATES.
Apply to
GAS COMPANY,
West Point.

FOR SALE.

CUTLER, PALMER & CO'S WINES and COGNAC.
Price List on application.
F. BLACKHEAD & Co.
Hongkong, 1st November, 1877. [146]

NOW ON SALE.

BOUND VOLUMES of the China Overland Trade Report for the Year 1877.
Price Ten Dollars.
Apply at the Daily Press Office.
Hongkong, February, 1878.

J. AND R. TENNENT'S ALE and DAVID CORN & SONS' Merchant Navy Navy Blend CANNAS.
Arnold, Karberg & Co.
Hongkong, 15th May, 1878. [15]

FOR SALE.

CUTLER, PALMER & CO'S CLARET, at \$12, \$10, \$8, \$6, \$4, and \$2 per CASE OF 12 DOZEN QUARTS.
SHERBIES, at \$10, \$8, \$6, \$4, and \$2 per CASE OF 12 DOZEN QUARTS.
CHAMPAGNE, at \$12, \$10, \$8, \$6, \$4, and \$2 per CASE OF 12 DOZEN QUARTS.

WACHTER'S CHAMPAGNE.
As supplied to H.B. THE PRINCE OF WALES.
\$18 PER DOZEN QUARTS.
Detailed Price List on application to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, 1st November, 1877. [14]

THE Undersigned have been appointed Sole Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messrs. J. & R. TENNENT, Glasgow, and Messrs. DAVID CORN & SONS, Aberdeen.

ARNOLD, KARBERG & Co.
Hongkong, January, 1877. [16]

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NOTICE.
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OLYMPIAN & Co.,
General Agents.
Hongkong, 17th April, 1878. [33]

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.
Incorporated by ROYAL CHARTER and SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.
ESTABLISHED 1806.
CAPITAL—£2,000,000.

THE Undersigned, Agents at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same, at the usual rates, subject to a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%).
GILMAN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 7th July, 1878. [29]

THE LONDON ASSURANCE COMPANY.
Incorporated by ROYAL CHARTER of HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE THIRD.
A.D. 1720.

**THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—
MARINE DEPARTMENT.
Policies at current rates, payable either here in London, or at the principal Ports of India, China, and Australia.
FIRE DEPARTMENT.
Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates.
A discount of 20% allowed.
VESSEL DEPARTMENT.
Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, at reduced rates.**

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, 26th July, 1878. [28]

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CAPITAL £400,000; EQUAL TO \$555,555.55.

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MARINE RISKS on Goods, &c., taken at CURRENT RATES to Australia, California, Mexico, Singapore, Saigon, Penang, and to all the Trade Ports of China and Japan.
Head Office, 8 and 9, Praya West.
Hongkong, 1st June, 1878. [148]

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.

CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up).....Tl. 420,000
PERMANENT RESERVE.....Tl. 250,000
SPECIAL RESERVE FUND.....Tl. 100,000

Accumulations this date.....Tl. 754,000

DIRECTORS.
F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.
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O. KERRIS, Esq., W. M. MYRTLE, Esq.

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POLICIES granted on Marine Risks to all parts of the World, at CURRENT RATES.
Subject to a charge of 12% for Interest on Shareholders' Capital, all the Profits of the Underwriting Business will be annually distributed among all Contributors of Business in proportion to the premium paid by them.

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 10th May, 1878. [145]

QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned are prepared to GRANT POLICIES AGAINST FIRE to the extent of 45,000 Dollars on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, at Current Local Rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the premium.

NOBTON & Co.
Hongkong, January, 1878. [12]

LIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the current Local Rate of Premium will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Company.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 27th June, 1878. [24]

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

FROM this date, until further notice, a discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the Current Local Rate of Premium will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Company.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 27th June, 1878. [24]

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World.

SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 14th August, 1878. [1388]

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been appointed AGENT at this Port for THE POSITIVE GOVERNMENT SECURITY LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY (LIMITED).

W. H. NOTLEY.
Hongkong, 6th June, 1877. [124]

SUN FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned are prepared to Grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$50,000 on First-class Risks.
A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the Current Local Rate of Premium will be allowed upon Insurances effected with this Office.

LINSTEAD & Co.,
Agents Sun Fire Office.
Hongkong, 1st June, 1878. [12]

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$40,000, on Buildings or on Goods stored therein.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 27th June, 1878. [24]

TRANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to accept Risks against Fire at Current Rates, subject to a Bonus of 20 per cent.

SIEMSEN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 18th November, 1878. [120]

VESSELS ADVERTISED AS LOADING.

| DESTINATION | VESSEL'S NAME | CAPTAIN | AT | FOR FREIGHT APPLY TO | TO BE DESPATCHED |
|------------------------|---------------------|---------------|----------|-----------------------|--------------------------|
| LONDON | Strathleven (str.) | Ferguson | Hongkong | Davis & Co. | To-day. |
| LONDON | Argentine (str.) | Barnett | Hongkong | Turner & Co. | On or about 18th inst. |
| LONDON | Gloucester (str.) | Johnson | Hongkong | Halliday, Wise & Co. | On or about 23rd inst. |
| LONDON | India (str.) | Stewart | Hongkong | Halliday, Wise & Co. | Quick despatch. |
| LONDON | Bertha Glen | Ferguson | Hongkong | Meyer & Co. | Quick despatch. |
| LONDON | Moss Glen | Carson | Hongkong | Vogel, Hagdon & Co. | Quick despatch. |
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| NEW YORK | Aleabara | Geo. Cole | Hongkong | Vogel, Hagdon & Co. | Quick despatch. |
| NEW YORK | Summer R. Mead | Dixon | Hongkong | Russell & Co. | Quick despatch. |
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| HAMBURG | Dirigo | Chimann | Hongkong | Meyer & Co. | Quick despatch. |
| HAMBURG | Centennial | Beare | Hongkong | Turner & Co. | Quick despatch. |
| HAMBURG | Gaulle (str.) | Johnson | Hongkong | O. & S. N. Co. | On 1st inst., at 3 P.M. |
| SAN FRANCISCO | City of York (str.) | Dithburn | Hongkong | P. M. S. S. Co. | On 15th inst., at 3 P.M. |
| SAN FRANCISCO | Sarah Belle | J. D. Steward | Hongkong | P. M. S. S. Co. | Quick despatch. |
| SINGAPORE, BOMBAY, &c. | Khidive (str.) | Brunei | Hongkong | P. M. S. S. Co. | Quick despatch. |
| SINGAPORE, BOMBAY, &c. | Sindh (str.) | Brunei | Hongkong | P. M. S. S. Co. | Quick despatch. |
| MANILA | Regent | Bowdin | Hongkong | Vogel, Hagdon & Co. | To-day. |
| MANILA | Cebu (str.) | Johnson | Hongkong | Russell & Co. | To-morrow, at noon. |
| YOKOHAMA | China (str.) | C. Darnell | Hongkong | P. & O. S. N. Co. | Quick despatch. |
| YOKOHAMA | Shanghai (str.) | Johnson | Hongkong | Barfield & Co. | On 1st inst., at 4 P.M. |
| YOKOHAMA | Shanghai (str.) | Johnson | Hongkong | P. & O. S. N. Co. | On or about 23rd inst. |
| SWATOW, AMOY, &c. | Kwangtung (str.) | Ferguson | Hongkong | Douglas Lapraik & Co. | Quick despatch. |

INSURANCES.

BATAVIA SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

**THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—
MARINE RISKS.
Policies at Current Rates, payable either here in London, or at the principal Ports of India, Australia, and the East.
A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the Current Local Rates will be allowed on all premium charged for Insurances, such discount being deducted at the time of the issue of Policy.
FIRE RISKS.
Policies granted on First-class Buildings to the extent of \$20,000.
A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) upon the Current Local Rates will be allowed on all premium charged for Insurances, such discount being deducted at the time of the issue of Policy.**

RUSSELL & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 1st January, 1878. [14]

THE EQUITABLE LIFE ASSURANCE SOCIETY OF THE UNITED STATES.

HENRY B. HYDE, President.
J. W. ALLEN, Vice-President.
SAMUEL B. BROWN, Secretary.
A. A. HAYES, Jr., General Manager for China and Japan.

PRINCIPAL OFFICE—120, Broadway, New York.

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SURPLUS.....\$5,600,000

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents in Hongkong, China, for the above Company, are prepared to accept RISKS at GREATLY REDUCED RATES and upon Terms very favorable to the Assured.

For full Information and Particulars, apply to
OLYMPIAN & Co.,
Agents.
Hongkong, 21st January, 1878. [202]

EMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$50,000 on any one FIRST-CLASS RISK.
A Discount of Twenty per cent. (20%) will be made on the premium charged on all Insurances, and RETURN being payable on the issue of the Policy.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,
Agents.
Imperial Fire Insurance Company.
Hongkong, 1st March, 1878. [12]

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT INSURANCES at Current Rates.

MELCHERS & Co.,
Agents Royal Insurance Company.
Hongkong, 27th March, 1878. [19]

STANDARD FIRE OFFICE, LONDON.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES AGAINST FIRE to the extent of \$40,000 on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, at Current Local Rates, subject to a Discount of 20% on the premium.

VOGEL, HAGEDORN & Co.
Hongkong, 1st March, 1878. [140]

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Undersigned, having been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Amoy, and are prepared to grant Insurances at Current Rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, 15th October, 1868. [25]

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COSMO, British bark, Laverick—P. & O. Co.

DARTMOUTH, British bark, Robertson—Vogel, Hagdon & Co.

DELICIA, Danish ship, T. A. Freebody—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

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GLORIA, Siam ship, Patterson—Task Moo, Glanville, British bark, Key—Russell & Co.

HENRI, German bark, Volquardsen—Wilder & Co.

